

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q88089

Anssi HOVINEN, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/537,496

Group Art Unit: 1791

Confirmation No.: 3475

Examiner: John M. Hoffmann

Filed: December 14, 2005

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MAKING OPTICAL FIBRES

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This responds to the Restriction Requirement, dated December 15, 2008. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group 1, claims 1-16 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 17-27 and 28-34.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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